

THE CLEVELAND MUSEUM OF ART
ARTIST BIOGRAPHY

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Please complete and return the following questionnaire for our reference file on Cleveland Artists.

FULL NAME: Al Cahen

DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH: Cleveland; September 13, 1932

PRIMARY MEDIA acrylic and oil

ART TRAINING - Schools, Scholarships, etc.:

Self-trained; began painting in 1972

EXHIBITIONS IN WHICH YOUR WORK HAS BEEN SHOWN:

Although I have had 4 exhibitions (3 one-person), my present policy is to not exhibit my work formally, but only informally, to serious collectors. This policy does not apply to paintings done in formal collaboration with one or more artists. Recently, Mr. Ivy Volper and myself had an exhibition of our jointly produced works, "Confluence," at the Ross Widen Gallery, Lyndhurst (March 11-28).

COLLECTIONS WHICH NOW INCLUDE YOUR WORK:

several public, numerous private. A number of my paintings are in collections on the basis of indefinite loan. This is consistent with my present policy of considering sale of my work only to serious collectors. Note that this policy does not apply to "confluent" paintings--those done in formal collaboration with one or more artists, e.g. the painting "Confluence 3-5", accepted for the 1979 May Show..

AWARDS:

none

PRESENT POSITION:

full-time painter
studio: 23715 Mercantile Road, Beachwood, Ohio 44122

We would appreciate any information regarding subsequent awards, purchases, exhibitions and scholarships.
Thank you for your cooperation.